



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6185

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Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by:

REP. CHRIST, 11th Dist.

REP. CURREY, 10th Dist.

REP. STONE, 9th Dist.

SEN. LEBEAU, 3rd Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING HEALTH INSURANCE COPAYMENTS FOR
CHEMOTHERAPY RELATED CARE.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That sections 38a-504 and 38a-542 of the general statutes be
- 2 amended to prohibit any health insurer, health care center or other
- 3 entity that offers a health insurance policy in this state from charging
- 4 patients copayments, deductibles or other out-of-pocket expenses for
- 5 necessary follow-up care related to chemotherapy.

Statement of Purpose:

To prohibit insurers from charging patients copayments, deductibles or other out-of-pocket expenses for necessary follow-up care related to chemotherapy.